1ID and Fort Riley Weekly News Update



Calendar of Events:

- ★ September 18-19 -Commissary Case Lot Sale
- ★ September 18 Military Appreciation
 Day at Junction City
 Football Game
- ★ September 19 Fall Apple Days Festival
- ★ September 23 1/1 Remissioning Ceremony 9:00am
- ★ September 26 1ID Appreciation Day at K-State Football
- ★ September 30 Retirement Ceremony 9:00am
- ★ October 3- Ogden Fall Festival Parade
- ★ October 3 Teen AFAP Conference 9:00am-3:00pm
- ★ October 6-8 Adult AFAP Conference 8:30am - 3:00pm

Early Bird Run Scheduled For September 19



Fort Riley USO Needs Your Help!

Help Win Money For Fort Riley's USO ...



They Need Your Until Every One Comes Home? Vote! Christie
Cookie is giving away \$25,000 to charities. The charity with the most nominations wins \$10,000. The runner up wins \$5,000.

It only takes about two minutes to vote so click on the link below and nominate "United Service Organizations, Fort Riley, KS" to Win!

http://www.christiecookies.com

The purpose of this give-away is to do something beneficial to organizations that exist to improve the quality of life of others. Christie Cookies believes they make some of the best cookies in the world, but its their customers that have helped them be so successful, and this contest was designed to show just how thankful they are to be doing what they do for so long.

ITR has Kansas City Chiefs Tickets for this Sundays Game and Other Dates Stop and See Them!

ITR still has 8 tickets left for the Chiefs vs. Oakland Raiders game on Sunday, they would like to sell these tickets. They also have tickets for the rest of the Chiefs season. See if the Chiefs are playing one of your favorite teams and check out ITR for some great deals. ITR has tickets available for several other attractions and events. For more information please contact ITR at (785)239-5614.



1 BCT, 1ID Remissioning Ceremony Scheduled

Families and Friends are invited to the Remissioning Ceremony for 1 BCT, 1ID. Ceremony will begin at 9:00am on September 23, 2009 and will take place at the Custer Parade Field located on Normandy Blvd on Custer Hill.

Come celebrate with 1BCT as they take on their new mission here at Fort Riley. For more information please contact the 1 BCT Family Readiness Support Assistant at (785)239-2242.















H1N1 Flu Outbreak Information & Where to get your Immunization

In response to the public health emergency declaration on the H1N1 influenza A virus, Irwin Army Community Hospital has increased screenings for flu-like symptoms and set up a hotline at (785) 240-4FLU (4358).

The hotline is for IACH beneficiaries who are experiencing flu-like symptoms. The hotline helps with early identification, provides additional information and will expedite appropriate care. All are vitally important to the overall effort to reduce the potential for further transmission.



For more information, contact the Department of Preventive Medicine at (785) 239-7386

Dates you can receive the Flu Shot are as follows:

September 19, 2009 at Apple Days-

look for the Preventive Medicine Tent

Starting September 21, 2009 Walk-Ins can go to Bldg 209C (trailers behind hospital). Hours for walk-ins are 7:00am - 9:00am and 3:00pm -5:00pm and the dates are below:

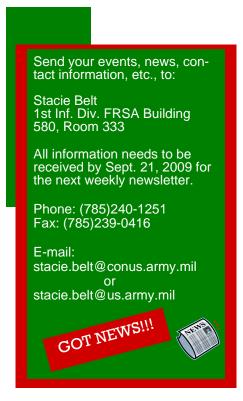
September 21-25

September 28

October 2

October 5-9

October 13-16



On the Web!

1st Infantry Division & Fort Riley Homepage - www.riley.army.mil

Fort Riley MWR - www.rileymwr.com

Army vFRG- www.armyfrg.org

National Military Family Association - www.nmfa.org

US Army Homepage- www.army.mil

MyPay - https://mypay.dfas.mil/mypay.aspx

Child Care Aware- www.childcareaware.org

Ready Army - www.riley.army.mil/UnitPage.aspx?unit=readyarmy

Fort Riley MWR Facebook Page - http://www.facebook.com/ftrileyfmwr

Fort Riley MWR Twitter Page - http://twitter.com/rileyfmwrbear



Fort Riley Home of the Big Red One



"Army Family Strong...Lightening Their Load" Forum at KSU Union Hall

Kansas State University is continuing a partnership with Fort Riley by creating an institute to study the health of military families. The Institute for the Health and Security of Military Families will help coordinate the multitude of research and outreach programs that support the well-being of military personnel, veterans, and their families who have experienced deployment.

Mrs. Diana Durbin and LTG Robert E. Durbin. Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff, U.S. Army for Enterprise Management and Panel on Military Family Issues will host a forum on Friday, October 2, 2009 starting at 1:30pm in the K-State Student Union.

The new institute will bring together



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researchers. educators and professionals to tackle issues including the

effects of trauma on deployed personnel and their families; the impact of deployment on marriage, children, employment and family income; and the cumulative effects of multiple deployments. In addition, the institute will also help structure and organize the various programs already in place for military families.

This announcement comes at a critical time as more and more published research is finding that military families are experiencing stress, especially children. Research will help us gain a better

understanding on this important issue and provide valuable information on needed resources to effectively address these findings.

The institute is among the top priorities for the School of Family Studies and Human Services, which was awarded \$13 million in funding in 2008 for research related to military families.

LTG Robert E. Durbin was previously the Commander of the 1st Infantry Division at Fort Riley.

For more information, please contact the Junction City Military Affairs Council office at (785) 238-1270.

